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This paper tries to solve the problem of providing for more helpful, timely and reliable facts on which to base National Intelligence Estimates. It defines and discusses the need for authentication of available facts so that estimates can be more readily appreciated. Suggestions are given as to how to improve material contributed to the NIE's by the agencies and then the effects of these suggestions on the research production staff are discussed. Also included is an organization chart of the DDI and a listing of the functions of Chief of Production, DDI.